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## **VIA e-DOCKET**



Ms. Elizabeth Rolando, Chief Clerk Illinois Commerce Commission 527 East Capitol Avenue Springfield, IL 62701

Re: ICC Docket No. 06-0526

Consideration of the federal standard on time-based metering and communications in Section 1252 of the Energy Policy Act

of 2005

Dear Ms. Rolando:

Attached for filing in the above referenced matter are the Reply Comments on behalf of the Ameren Companies.

Sincerely,

Edward C. Fitzhen

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cc: Service List

Legal File